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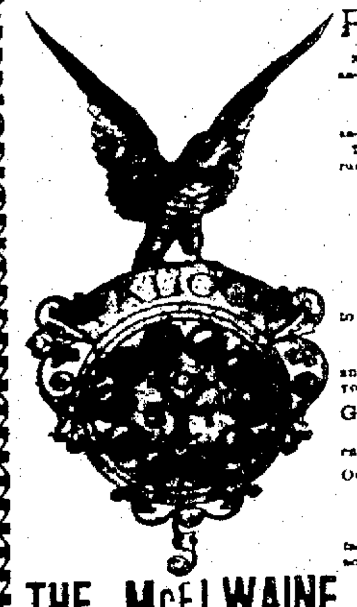

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She knew that he would do it. Yet her eyes suddenly beamed with a new and awakening light; she put back her hair again and half-raised herself upon the pillow to gaze at his dark, set face.

"And as I shall let no other life but ours be periled in this affair," he went on, quietly, "and will accompany you myself, in some disguise, beyond the lines, we will take the risks together—or the bullets of the sentries that may save us both all further trouble. An hour or two more will decide this. Until that time your condition will excuse you from any disturbance or intrusion here. The mulatto woman you have sometimes personated may be still in this house; I will appoint her to attend you. I suppose you can trust her, for you must personate her again, and escape in her clothes, while she takes your place in this room as my prisoner."

"Clarence!"

Her voice had changed suddenly; it was no longer bitter and stridulous, but low and thrilling, as he had heard her call to him that night in the patio of Robles. He turned quickly. She was leaning from her bed—her thin white hands stretched appealingly toward him.

"Let us go together, Clarence," she said, eagerly. "Let us leave this horrible place—those vulgar, cruel people, forever! Come with me! Come with me to my people, to my own faith, to my own house, which shall be yours! Come with me to defend it with your good sword, Clarence, against those vile invaders with whom you have nothing in common and who are the dirt under your feet. Yes! Yes! I know you! I have done you wrong; I have lied to you when I spoke against your skill and power. You are a hero—a born leader of men! I know it! Have I not heard it from the men who have fought against you, and yet admired and understood you, aye, better than your own? Gallant men, Clarence! Soldiers bred, who did not know what you were to me, nor how proud I was of you, even while I hated you! Come with me! Think what we would do together, with one faith, one cause, one ambition! Think, Clarence, there is no limit you might not attain! We are no niggards of our rewards and honors, we have no hirelings' votes to truckle to; we know our friends! Even I, Clarence, I—" there was a strange pathos in the sudden humility that seemed to overcome her—"I have had my reward and know my power. I have been sent abroad, in the confidence of the highest, to the highest. Don't turn from me. I am offering you no bribe, Clarence, only your deserts. Come with me! Leave those curs behind and live the hero that you are!"

He turned his blazing eyes upon her. "If you were a man!" he began, passionately, then stopped.

"No! I am a woman and must fight in a woman's way," she interrupted, bitterly. "I entreat, I implore, I wheedle, I flatter, I fawn, I lie! I creep where you stand upright, and pass through doors to which you would not bow. You wear the blazon of honor on your shoulder. I hide mine in a slave's gown. And yet I have worked and striven and suffered! Listen, Clarence—" her voice again sank to its appealing minor. "I know what you men call 'honor'—which makes you cling to a merely spoken word and an empty oath. Well, let that pass! I am weary; I have done my share of this work, you have done yours. Let us both fly; let us leave the fight to those who shall come after us and let us go together to some distant land where the sounds of these guns or the blood of our brothers no longer cry out to us for vengeance! There are those living there—I have met them, Clarence—" she went on, hurriedly, "who think it wrong to lift up fratricidal hands in the struggle, yet who cannot live under the northern yoke. They are—" her voice hesitated, "good men and women—they are respected—they are—"

"Recreants and slaves, before whom you, spy, as you are, stand a queen!" broke in Brant, passionately. He stopped and turned back toward the window. After a pause he came back again toward the bed, paused again, and then said in a lower voice: "Four years ago, Alice, in the patio of our house at Robles, I might have listened to this proposal, and, I tremble to think, I might have accepted it. I loved you; I was as weak, as selfish, as unreflecting, my life as purposeless, but for you, as the creatures you speak of. But give me now at least the credit of a devotion to my cause equal to your own, which I have never denied you. For the night that you left me I awoke to a sense of my own worthlessness and degradation—perhaps I have even to thank you for this awakening—and I realize the bitter truth. But that night I found my true vocation, my purpose, my manhood—"

A bitter laugh came from the pillow on which she had languidly thrown herself. "I believe I left you with Mrs. Hooker—spare me the details."

The blood rushed to Brant's face, and then receded as suddenly.

"You left me with Capt. Pinkney, who had tempted you, and whom I killed!" he said, furiously.

They were both staring at each other. Suddenly he said: "Hush!" and sprang towards the door, as the sound of hurried footsteps echoed along the passage. But he was too late; it was thrown open to the officer of the guard, who appeared standing on the threshold.

"Two confederate officers arrested hovering around our pickets. They demand to see you."

Before Brant could interpose two men, in riding cloaks of confederate gray, stepped into the room with a jaunty and self-confident air.

"Not demand, general," said the foremost, a tall, distinguished-looking man, lifting his hand with a graceful deprecating air. "In fact, too sorry to bother you with an affair of no importance except to ourselves. A bit of after-dinner bravado brought us in contact with your pickets, and of course we had to take the consequences. Served us right, and we were lucky not to have gotten [illegible] let through us. [illegible] I'm afraid [illegible] would have been less discreet. [illegible] Lagrange, of the [illegible] young friend here is Capt. Faulkner of the First Kentucky. [illegible] [illegible]

upon the bed and its occupant. Both he and his companion started. But to the natural unaffected dismay of gentlemen who had unwittingly intruded upon a lady's bedchamber, Brant's quick eye saw a more disastrous concern superadded. Col. Lagrange was quick to recover himself, as they both removed their caps.

"A thousand pardons," he said, hurriedly, stepping backwards to the door. "But I hardly need say to a fellow-officer, general, that we had no idea of making so gross an intrusion! We heard some cock-and-bull story of your being occupied with an escaped or escaping nigger—or we should never have forced ourselves upon you."

Brant glanced quickly at his wife. Her face had apparently become rigid on the entrance of the two men; her eyes were coldly fixed upon the ceiling. He bowed formally, and with a wave of his hand toward the door, said:

"I will hear your story below, gentlemen."

He followed them from the room, stopped to quietly turn the key in the lock, and then motioned them to precede him down the staircase.

CHAPTER VII.

Not a word was exchanged till they had reached the lower landing and Brant's private room. Dismissing his subalterns and orderly with a sign

There was no sound from within.

Brant turned toward his prisoners. The jaunty ease, but not the self-possession, had gone from Lagrange's face; the eyes of Capt. Faulkner were fixed on his older companion with a half humorous look of perplexity.

"I am afraid I can only repeat, general, that our foolhardy freak has put us in collision with your sentries," said Lagrange with a slight hauteur that replaced his former jauntiness; "and we were very properly made prisoners. If you will accept my parole I have no doubt our commander will proceed to exchange a couple of gallant fellows of yours, whom I have had the honor of meeting within our own lines, whom you must miss probably more than I fear our superiors miss us."

"Whatever brought you here, gentlemen," said Brant, dryly, "I am glad for your skins that you are in uniform, although it does not, unfortunately, relieve me of an unpleasant duty."

"I don't think I understand you," returned Lagrange, coldly.

"If you had not been in uniform you would probably have been shot down as spies, without the trouble of capture," said Brant, quietly.

"Do you mean to imply, sir—" began Lagrange, sternly.

"I mean to say that the existence of a confederate spy between this camp and the division headquarters is sufficiently well known to us to justify the strongest action."

"And pray, how can that affect us?" said Lagrange, haughtily.

"I need not inform so old a soldier as Col. Lagrange that the aiding, abetting, and even receiving information from a spy or traitor within one's lines is an equally dangerous service."

"Perhaps you would like to satisfy yourself, general," said Col. Lagrange, with an ironical laugh. "Pray do not hesitate on account of our uniforms! Search us if you like."

"Not on entering my lines, colonel," replied Brant, with quiet significance.

Lagrange's cheek flushed. But he recovered himself quickly, and with a formal bow, said: "You will then perhaps let me know your pleasure?"

"My duty, colonel, is to keep you both close prisoners here until I have an opportunity to forward you to the division commander with a report of the circumstances of your arrest. That I propose to do. How soon I may have that opportunity—or if I am ever to have it—" continued Brant, fixing his clear eyes significantly on Lagrange, "depends upon the chances of war, which you probably understand as well as I do."

"We should never think of making any calculation on the action of an officer of such infinite resources as Gen. Brant," said Lagrange, politely.

"You will no doubt have an opportunity of stating your own case to the division commander," continued Brant, with an unmoved face. "And," he continued, turning for the first time to Capt. Faulkner, "when you tell the commander what I believe to be the fact—from your own [illegible]—that you are a relation of the young lady who for the last three weeks has been an inmate of this house under a pass from Washington—you will, I have no doubt, favorably explain your own propinquity to my lines."

"My sister, Tillie," said the young officer, impulsively. "But she is no longer here. She passed through the lines back to Washington yesterday. No," he added, with a light laugh, "I'm afraid that excuse won't count for to-day."

A sudden frown upon the face of the elder officer, added to the perfect ingenuousness of Faulkner's speech, satisfied Brant that he had not only elicited the truth, but that Miss Faulkner had been successful! Nor did he doubt that his suggestion that her relationship to the young officer would incline the division commander to look leniently upon his fault—and he felt a singular satisfaction in thus being able to serve her. Of the real object of the two men before him he was convinced; they were "the friends" of his wife who were waiting for her outside the lines! [illegible] [illegible] being arrested with them, with the consequent exposure of her treachery before his own men—who as yet had no proof of her guilt, nor any suspicion of her actual identity. Nor was his own chance of conveying her with safety beyond his lines affected by their [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] knew of her, and it was with a grim triumph that he thought of [illegible] her escape without their aid. [illegible] of this, however, was visible in his face, which [illegible] with a kind of [illegible]. Col. Lagrange [illegible]

for nothing in your confinement."

"If this is with a view to separate interrogatory, general, I can relieve you," said Lagrange, rising with insolent petulance.

"I believe I have all the information I require," returned Brant, with undisturbed composure. Giving the necessary orders to his subalterns, he acknowledged with equal calm the formal salutes of the two prisoners as they were led away and returned quickly to his bedroom above. He paused irresolutely for a moment before the closed door and listened. There was no sound from within. He unlocked the door and opened it.

So quiet was the interior that for an instant, without glancing at the bed, he shot a quick look at the window, which, till then, he had forgotten, and which, he remembered gave egress upon the veranda roof. But it was still closed, and as he approached the bed he saw his wife still lying there in the attitude in which he had left her. But her eyes were ringed and slightly [illegible], as if with recent tears.

It was, perhaps, this [illegible] that softened his voice, still harsh with command, as he said:

"I suppose you know those two men?"

"Yes."

"And that I have put it out of their power to help you?"

"I do."

There was something so strangely submissive in her voice that he again looked suspiciously at her. But he was shocked to see that she was quite pale now, and that the fire had gone out of her dark eyes.

"Then I may tell you my own—and the only—plan to save you. But first we must find this mulatto woman who has acted as your double."

"She is here."

"Here?"

"Yes."

"How do you know it?" he asked, in quick suspicion.

"She was not to leave this place until she knew I was safe within our lines. I have some friends who are faithful to me." After a pause she added: "She has been already."

He looked at her, startled. "Impossible—I—"

"You locked the door. Yes, but she has a second key. And even if she had not there is another entrance from that closet. You do not know this house; you have been here two weeks; I spent two years of my life, as a girl, in this room."

An indescribable sensation came over him; he remembered how he had felt when he first occupied it; this was followed by a keen sense of shame on reflecting that he had been, ever since, but a helpless puppet in the power of his enemies, and that she could have escaped if she would, even now.

"Perhaps," he said, grimly, "you have already arranged your plans."

She looked at him with a singular reproachfulness even in her submission. "I have only told her to be ready to change clothes with me, and help me color my face and hands at the time appointed. I have left the rest to you."

"Then this is my plan. I have changed only a detail. You and she must both leave this house at the same time, by different exits, and one of them must be private—and unknown to my men. Do you know of such a one?"

"Yes," she said, "beside the negro quarters."

"Good," he replied. "That will be your way out. She will leave here publicly, through the quarters, armed with a pass from me. She will be overhauled and challenged by the first sentry, near the guard house, below the wall. She will be subjected to some delay and scrutiny, which she will, however, be able to pass better than you would. This will create the momentary diversion that we require. In the meantime, you will have left the house by the wing, and you will then keep in the shadow of the hedge until you can drop down along the run, where it empties into the swamp. There," he continued, fixing his keen eyes upon her, "is the weak point in the position of this place, that is neither overlooked nor defended. But, perhaps," he added again, grimly, "you already know it?"

"It is in the marsh where the flowers grow, near the path where you met Miss Faulkner. I had crossed the marsh to give her a letter," she said, slowly.

A bitter smile came over Brant's face, but passed as quickly.

"Enough," he said, quietly. "I will meet you beside the run and cross the marsh with you until you are within hailing distance of your lines. I will be in plain clothes, Alice," he went on, slowly, "for it will not be the commander of this force who accompanies you, but your husband, and, without disgracing his uniform, he will at least be your equal, for the instant he passes his own lines, in disguise, he will become like you, a spy, and amenable to its penalties."

Her eyes seemed suddenly to leap up to his with that strange look of awakening and enthusiasm which he had noted before. And in [illegible] she rose from the bed [illegible] shoulders and loosened hair, and stood upright before him. For an instant, husband and wife stood beside each other as [illegible]

"When shall I go?"

He glanced towards the window, already growing lighter with the coming dawn. "The relief would pass in a few moments; the time seemed propitious. "At once," he said. "I will send [illegible] to you."

But she had already passed into the closet, and was tapping upon some inner door. He heard the sound of [illegible] She reappeared, holding the curtains of the closet together with her hand and said: "Go! When she comes to your office for the pass, you will know that I have gone."

He turned away. "Stop!" she said faintly.

He turned back. Her expression had again changed. Her face was deadly pale; a strange tremor seemed to have taken possession of her. She dropped the curtain. [illegible]

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

ELECTORS-AT-LARGE.
[illegible] Pollins, Joseph Wharton,
William Wakelee, Lyndon H. [illegible]
DISTRICT ELECTORS.
[illegible]
[illegible] Joseph C. Campbell.

FOR PRESIDENT,

WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

GARRETT A. HOBART.

FOR CONGRESSMEN AT LARGE,
GALUSHA A. GROW,
SAMUEL A. DAVENPORT.

FOR CONGRESS,
HON. CHAS. W. STONE.

FOR STATE SENATOR,
HON. A. F. BANNON.
Subject to decision of Senatorial Conference.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES,
HON. HERMAN H. NORTH,
HON. R. A. DEMPSEY.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
SHERIDAN GORTON.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, ETC.
GEO. W. MITCHELL.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. FRED DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
WILLIAM A. YOUNG,
LEMUEL DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY AUDITORS,
J. C. CANNON, JR.,
C. W. FREEMAN.

TOM PLATT fell flat at St. Louis.

McKINLEY and HOBART. Sterling men on a sterling platform.

THE State Senatorial conference meeting of this district has been postponed owing to the illness of Mr. Murdock of Tioga county.

THERE was not a political boss at St. Louis that succeeded in reaching first base. They were not familiar with Hanna's delivery.

AN increase of $262,000,000, of debt by the Democratic party in times of peace, is a nice little relic for said party to hand over to its successors.

PARTY bosses received their just dues at St. Louis. When the American people make up their minds, the bosses most of a necessity take a back seat.

In spite of the Democratic cry that tin plate could not be successfully manufactured in the United States—the American tin plate production for this country for the year ending June 30th, 1895, was 193,801,073 lbs.

WHEN Hon. Sam Cary, of Ohio, remarked some years ago that the Democratic party could always be depended upon "to make a d—d laughing fool of itself," he knew what he was talking about.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A GOLD dollar weighs 25.8 grains; a silver dollar weighs 412.5 grains; both are nine-tenths fine. An act of 1834 fixed the standard ratio of 1 to 16.002, i. e., the value of one grain of gold is equal to 16.002 grains of silver. Hence the meaning of "16 to 1."

MARK A. HANNA, of Cleveland, O., who so ably managed the McKinley campaign has been selected as Chairman of the Republican National Committee. This is a most excellent choice and one that will be satisfactory to the rank and file of the party.

[illegible] B. H. Bristow, during Grant's second term, died at his home in New York, last Monday of peritonitis, aged 73 years. He was a soldier during the war, and Attorney General in 1873 and Secretary of the Treasury from 1874 to 1876.

A GENTLEMAN, and an excellent Democrat, was heard to remark on our streets last Tuesday that a Kentuckian had about sized up the free silver question. The gentleman from the blue grass region said that he favored the new departure because he could take one dollar in gold and get sixteen dollars in silver.

PENNSYLVANIA formerly laid claim to be the mother of presidents, but now Ohio claims that distinction. W. H. Harrison, U. S. Grant, R. B. Hayes, Jas. A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison and now William McKinley; an illustrious array of brilliant men, all born in [illegible] known as the "Western re-[illegible]

M'KINLEY.

No man of prominence in the history of our country ever occupied the position relative to all citizens that the man whose name appears at the head of this column does at the present time. Any of the men who have filled positions of trust and responsibility of any importance have been brought prominently before the people by the triumphing of some startling event. Only for the fact of the large quantity of tea that was poured into Boston harbor, Washington and Jefferson might have remained staid old Virginia farmers. The war of 1812 made Andrew Jackson famous, by his unique style of breast works made of cotton, and by which he succeeded in defeating the British at New Orleans. The Missouri compromise made Webster and Clay famous. The split in the Democratic party in 1860 made the election of Lincoln possible, and made him the most famous man of the century. Blaine's foreign policy was the means of endearing him in the hearts of all true American people.

But here comes a man from the common people without wealth or title, or even influential friends to boost him up the ladder of fame, entering the army at an early age as a common soldier, carrying a musket, he arose from the ranks and was honorably discharged as a major of volunteers. Then he commenced the battle in real earnest to fit himself for the honorable position in life that he was destined to fill. That he has been successful there is no question, and to-day he stands preeminently at the head of the procession, the admired of all, irrespective of political views.

What has given rise to this great popularity? There is not a Democrat, Populist or free silverite but what in his honest heart must acknowledge that McKinley to-day is the first among American citizens. Party affiliations may compel some to say unkind things about McKinley but, politics aside, he towers above them all. This only goes to prove that any young man who starts out with the determination to do his utmost to attain success, can accomplish his object by perseverance and industry. This McKinley has done, and to-day he is universally cherished by his countrymen as few have ever been in the world's history. He is a domestic man, loving his home and family. He has a lovable companion to assist him through the trials of life. That his mother is of the highest type of womanhood is evident from the filial affection that he displays toward her, visiting her every day while at his home in Canton. In times of peace, when there were no important events to bring him prominently before the people, he has quietly gone among them, addressing large crowds from day to day, until the name of McKinley has become a household word in every home in the land.

He is possessed of wonderful magnetism. His speeches are terse and to the point, couched in language that a child could understand, yet abounding in wisdom and knowledge. He is for the advancement of American principles and the upbuilding of our institutions. The name of McKinley is a tower of strength and will draw the honest American voter to him from all parties, and he will be elected, as he was nominated, by the people and not by the bosses.

A REAL BIMETALLIST ON THE ISSUE.

The international bimetallists of Europe, who are entitled to the consideration and respectful courtesy due to thoughtful and scholarly men, are very wroth at our own alleged bimetallists, whose acquirements and outpourings are entitled to no consideration at all. If Mr. Teller and his kind could be induced to read with humble and patient minds such an article, for example, as Dr. Otto Arendt has written for the current number of the North American Review, they would learn that the European economists hold them almost entirely responsible for the present low estate of the cause of bimetallism.

Here are a few of the sayings of Dr. Arendt concerning Teller, Bland, Stewart, Jones, etc., and their followers:

> "The Americans ignored the great fundamental laws of circulation in trying to save silver by the experiments of the Bland and Sherman laws.
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> "They wrought harm to the bimetallist cause, because their failure was exploited by the gold party, and because they alienated the silver production.
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> "It is now desired to perpetuate the gold standard in Europe, let the government at Washington adopt free coinage of silver at the ratio of 1:16. At present, after the closure of the Indian mints, this step could not possibly have any other result than to make the American standard a silver standard. The price of silver would rise, but not to 60 pence, and not permanently; the United States would have a standard not materially different from that of Mexico; all the disadvantages and all the advantages of a fluctuating and depreciated money standard would follow. Gold monometallism would be replaced by silver monometallism; the double standard would become nominal. No bimetallist can approve of this."

These are the words of a bimetallist who knows the laws that govern the circulation of money, and whose theories can be discussed by intelligent men without loss of self-respect. He believes that the world ought to use both gold and silver for its metallic money and for the basis of its paper currency, and he thinks that the crude efforts of our silver men, who either do not understand the laws of circulation or who do not care for it, are even more dangerous to the cause of bimetallism than is the determination of the English and Germans to abide by the gold standard.

A word may be sufficient to the wise, but we fear that it will require a great many to do, even from such bimetallist as Dr. Arendt, to enlighten the followers of Mr. Bland.—Harper's Weekly.

GARRET A. HOBART.

Garret A. Hobart was born in 1844 at Long Branch, N. J., and took his degree at Rutgers college before he was 20 years old. From college he went to Paterson to study law with Socrates Tuttle, whose daughter he afterward married. In 1866 he was admitted to the bar. In 1872 he was sent to the assembly, to which he was re-elected and served during his second term as Speaker of the House. In 1877 he was sent to the Senate from Passaic county. At his re-election to that body in 1879, he received the biggest majority that the county had ever given to a candidate.

In 1881 and 1882 Mr. Hobart was president of the Senate, and in 1884 he was the Republican caucus candidate for the Federal Senate in the Democratic Legislature that sent John R. McPherson to Washington. He has been a National committeeman since 1884, and in 1888 he was made vice chairman of the National committee and has held the office until now. He is actively identified with New Jersey commercial interests.

Ed Hall, Lumber City, Pa., writes, "I have been suffering from piles for twenty years and thought my case incurable. [illegible] Witch Hazel Salve was [illegible] a pile cure, so I [illegible] a perma-

DECLARED FOR GOLD.

Platform Upon Which McKinley Will Stand.

MONEY THE PRINCIPAL ISSUE.

Protection and Reciprocity Plank Made Strong and Explicit—Aid For Cuba Promised—Restriction of Immigration—Other Features of the Platform.

Governor Foraker, having ascended the platform, read the report, which was as follows:

The Republicans of the United States, assembled by their representatives in national convention, appealing for the popular and historical justification of their claims to the matchless achievements of 30 years of Republican rule, earnestly and confidently address themselves to the awakened intelligence, experience and conscience of their countrymen in the following declaration of facts and principles:

We renew and emphasize our allegiance to the policy of protection as the bulwark of American industrial independence and the foundation of American development and prosperity. This true American policy taxes foreign products and encourages home industry. It puts the burden of revenue on foreign goods; it secures the American market for the American producer. It upholds the American standard of wages for the American workingman; it puts the factory by the side of the farm and makes the American farmer less dependent on foreign demand and price; it diffuses general thrift and founds the strength of all on the strength of each. In its reasonable application it is just, fair and impartial, equally opposed to foreign control and domestic monopoly, to sectional discrimination and individual favoritism.

We denounce the Democratic tariff as sectional, injurious to the public credit and destructive to business enterprise. We demand such an equitable tariff on foreign imports which come into competition with American products as will not only furnish adequate revenue for the necessary expenses of the government, but will protect American labor from degradation to the wage level of other lands. We are not pledged to any particular schedule. The question of rates is a practical question, to be governed by the conditions of the time and of production, the ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industry. The country demands a right settlement, and then it wants rest.

Protection and reciprocity are twin measures of Republican policy and go hand in hand. Democratic rule has recklessly struck down both, and both must be re-established.

Protection for what we produce, free admission for the necessaries of life which we do not produce, reciprocal agreements of mutual interests which gain open markets for us in return for our open markets to others. Protection builds up domestic industry and trade and secures our own market for ourselves; reciprocity builds up foreign trade and finds an outlet for our surplus.

We condemn the present administration for not keeping faith with the sugar producers of this country. To all our products—to those of the mine and the field as well as to those of the shop and the factory—to hemp, to wool, the product of the great industry of sheep husbandry, as well as to the finished woolens of the mill—we promise the most ample protection.

We favor restoring the early American policy of discriminating duties for the upbuilding of our merchant marine and the protection of our shipping in the foreign carrying trade.

The Republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879, since then every dollar has been as good as gold.

We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are therefore opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such agreement can be obtained the existing gold standard must be preserved. All our silver and paper currency must be maintained at parity with gold, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolably the obligations of the United States and all our money, whether coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth.

The veterans of the Union army deserve and should receive fair treatment and generous recognition. Whenever practicable they should be given the preference in the matter of employment, and they are entitled to the enactment of such laws as are best calculated to secure the fulfillment of the pledges made to them in the dark days of the country's peril.

Our foreign policy should be at all times firm, vigorous and dignified and all our interests in the western hemisphere carefully watched and guarded. The Hawaiian islands should be controlled by the United States and no foreign power should be permitted to interfere with them; the Nicaraguan canal should be built, owned and operated by the United States; and by the purchase of the Danish islands we should secure a proper and much needed naval station in the West Indies.

The massacres of Armenians have aroused the deep sympathy and just indignation of the American people and we believe that the United States should exercise all the influence it can properly exert to bring these atrocities to an end.

We reassert the Monroe doctrine in its full extent and we reaffirm the right of the United States to give the doctrine effect by responding to the appeals of any American state for friendly intervention in case of European encroachment. We hopefully look forward to the eventual withdrawal of the European powers from this hemisphere and to the ultimate union of all English speaking parts of the continent by the free consent of its inhabitants.

We watch with deep and abiding interest the heroic battle of the Cuban patriots against cruelty and oppression and our best hopes go out for the full success of their determined contest for liberty. The government of Spain having lost control of Cuba and being unable to protect the property or lives of resident American citizens, or to comply with its treaty obligations, we believe that the government of the United States should actively use its influence and good offices to restore peace and give independence to the island.

The peace and security of the republic and the maintenance of its rightful influence among the nations of the earth demand a naval power commensurate with its position and responsibility.

For the protection of the quality of our American citizenship and of the wages of our workingmen against the fatal competition of low-priced labor, we demand that the immigration laws be thoroughly enforced and so extended as to exclude from entrance to the United States those who can neither read nor write.

We proclaim our unqualified condemnation of the uncivilized and barbarous practice well known as lynching, or killing of human beings suspected or charged with crime without process of law.

We favor the creation of a national board of arbitration to settle and adjust differences which may arise between employers and employes engaged in interstate commerce.

The Republican party is mindful of the rights and interests of women; protection of American industries includes equal opportunities, equal pay for equal work and protection to the home. We favor the admission of women to wider spheres of usefulness, and we welcome their co-operation in rescuing the country from Democratic and Populist mismanagement and misrule.

Such are the principles and policies of the Republican party. By these principles we will abide and these policies we will put into execution. We ask for them the considerate judgment of the American people.

Heart Disease Cured

By Dr. Miles' Heart Cure.

Fainting, Weak or Hungry Spells, Irregular or Intermittent Pulse, Fluttering or Palpitation, Choking Sensation, Shortness of Breath, Swelling of Feet and Ankles, are symptoms of a Diseased or Weak Heart.

MRS. M. C. MILLER.

Of Fort Wayne, Ind., writes on Nov. 20, 1894: "I was afflicted for forty years with heart trouble and suffered untold agony. I had weak, hungry spells, and my heart would palpitate so hard, the pain would be so acute and torturing, that I became so weak and nervous I could not sleep. I was treated by several physicians without relief and gave up ever being well again. About two years ago I commenced using Dr. Miles' Remedies. [illegible] of the Heart Cure stopped all [illegible] the Restorative Nervine [illegible] soundly and [illegible] [illegible]

An Ordinance,

PROHIBITING THE DEFACING OF TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE POLES IN THE BORO OF SMETHPORT, BY PAINTING, MARKING, TACKING OR FASTENING ADVERTISEMENTS OR NOTICES, OR HITCHING OR TYING ANY TEAM, TEAMS OR CONVEYANCE THERETO, FIXING THE PENALTY AND PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF THE SAME.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Council of the borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pa., and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same that from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to mark, paint, tack or fasten in any manner, any kind of advertisement, bill or notice, hitch or tie any team, teams or conveyance to any telegraph or telephone pole in said borough. And any person or persons violating this ordinance shall forfeit and pay to the use of the borough the sum of two dollars, to be collected on conviction of such offense before the Burgess or any Justice of the Peace, as like amounts are collectable in an action of trespass.

Passed June 1, 1896.

Attest: FRANK KERNS,
A. T. PALMER, Pres. of Council.
Secretary.
Approved June 3, 1896,
23-21 P. D. HOPKINS, Burgess.

Notice to Contractors.

THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF NORWICH township will receive bids up to 1 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, June 24, for the building of a two-story school building at Colegrove, to be completed on or before the 20th day of August next. Plans and specifications will be shown by the Secretary or can be seen at the store of C. A. Anderson. Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

E. L. OLMSTEAD, Pres.
N. C. GALLUP, Sec'y. 22-21

Notice of Desertion.

My wife, Mrs. Kate L. Appleby, having left my bed and board without just cause, I hereby warn all persons from trusting her on my account. Signed this 13th day of June, A. D. 1896.

E. L. APPLEBY,
23-21 Bradford, Pa.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF LIBERTY Township School District for the fiscal year ending June 1st, 1896.

Whole number of schools, 14.
Number of teachers employed, 14.
Number of pupils enrolled in all the schools, 174.
Average daily attendance, 121.
Amount taxes levied for school purposes, $2,021.47.

TREASURER'S ACC'T—MONEY RECEIVED.

Balance on hand from last year,	$ 311 12	
Received from State appropriation,	1026 [illegible]	
From Collector, including taxes of all kinds,	2264 [illegible]	
From County Treasurer, unseated lands, fines, &c.,	1010 [illegible]	
Tuition,	29 75	4642 34

TREASURER'S ACC'T—MONEY PAID OUT.

For purchasing grounds,	$ 103 00	
Furnishing,	21 [illegible]	
For teacher's wages,	2746 [illegible]	
For rent and repairs,	446 42	
For fuel and contingencies,	113 [illegible]	
Fees of Collector,	74 25	
Fees of Treasurer,	54 [illegible]	
Salary of secretary, expenses, stationery, postage, &c.,	30 00	
For printing and auditor's fees,	[illegible]	
For school books,	126 [illegible]	
For school supplies,	116 [illegible]	
For all other purposes and sundry expenses,	151 36	4120 [illegible]

RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES.

Cash on hand,	$ 522 74
Amount due district, taxes,	41 41

D. M. WRIGHT,
CALVIN PETTERS, Auditors.
NICHOLAS BAKER,

The above account has been duly audited by the auditors of this district, and certified by them to be correct.

A. L. HOLDEN, D. M. MANNING,
23-21 Secretary. President.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SMETHPORT SCHOOL.

E. R. Mayo, Treasurer, in account with Smethport Boro School and Bond Fund.

	Dr.	
To bal last auditors' report,	$ 776 [illegible]	
To amount from Col Gallup, school tax,	2077 [illegible]	
To amount from Col Gallup, bond tax,	1082 [illegible]	
State appropriation,	1424 [illegible]	
Tuition,	41 [illegible]	
Book damage,	1 [illegible]	
Total,		5454 14
	Cr.	
By paid bond and interest,		$ 463 [illegible]
" " orders, repairs,		227 43
" " " teachers' wages,		3294 00
" " " Text Books,		226 [illegible]
" " " supplies,		47 [illegible]
" " " fuel and contingencies,		323 [illegible]
" " Secretary's salary,		40 00
" " Treasurer's commission,		51 [illegible]
Balance due the fund,		782 [illegible]
Total,		5454 14

J. C. Gallup, Collector, in account with Smethport Boro School Fund.

	Dr.	
To bal from last auditors' report,	$ 514 [illegible]	
To additional 5 per cent.,	25 [illegible]	
Total,		539 41
	Cr.	
By cash to treasurer,		$ 530 [illegible]
By Collector's commission,		[illegible]
By exonerations,		2 [illegible]
Total,		539 [illegible]
	Dr.	
To duplicate 1895-6,	$2106 41	
	Cr.	
By cash to treasurer,		$ 1201 71
By 3 per ct. to taxpayers on $1,377 14,		41 [illegible]
By 5 per ct. collector's commission on $1,173.31,		[illegible]
By 5 per ct. collector's commission on $311.41,		15 [illegible]
By exonerations,		[illegible]
By bal of duplicate in hands of Collector,		277 [illegible]
Total,		2106 41

J. C. Gallup, Collector, in account with Smethport Boro School Bond Fund.

	Dr.	
To bal last auditors' report,	$ 302 [illegible]	
To 5 per ct. additional,	10 [illegible]	
Total,		313 75
	Cr.	
By cash to Treasurer,		$ 301 [illegible]
By Collector's commission,		11 [illegible]
By exonerations,		90
Total,		313 75
	Dr.	
To duplicate 1895-6,	$ 1156 [illegible]	
	Cr.	
By 3 per ct. to taxpayers on $771.28		$ 23 [illegible]
By 5 per ct. Collector's commission on $921.40,		11 [illegible]
By cash to treasurer,		[illegible]
By 5 per ct. Collector's commission on $105.28,		[illegible]
By exonerations,		[illegible]
By bal duplicate in hands of Col Gallup,		196 00
Total,		1156 [illegible]

RESOURCES.

Due from Treas. Mayo, school fund,	$ 782 [illegible]
Due from Col. Gallup, school fund,	277 [illegible]
Due from Col. Gallup, bond fund,	196 [illegible]
Total,	1256 [illegible]

And now, June 15th, 1896, having examined the accounts of the above named treasurer and collector, we report balances as above set forth.

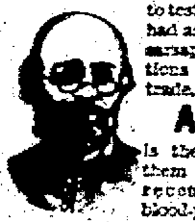
L. K. HOGARTH, Auditors.
G. D. MAYO,

Bicycle Races.

The Warren cycle club, assisted by the Warren protective cycle club, will give a two days' race meet on the new one-third mile track recently built at Recreation Park, Warren, Pa., on July 3 and 4. There is a prize list for 13 races which required an expenditure of $650, consequently the winners of the events will get something worthy the effort usually made in a race. On the evening of July 3 there will be given a series of three races. The track has been equipped with arc lights and the night races will no doubt prove a novelty. H. P. Hall, Warren, Pa., can be addressed for entry blanks and information.

The Only One To Stand the Test.

Rev. William Copp, whose father was a physician for over fifty years, in New Jersey, and who himself spent many years preparing for the practice of medicine, but subsequently entered the ministry of the M. E. Church, writes: "I am glad to testify that I have had analyzed all the sarsaparilla preparations known in the trade, but



AYER'S

is the only one of them that I could recommend as a blood-purifier. I have given away hundreds of bottles of it, as I consider it the safest as well as the best to be had."—WM. COPP, Pastor M. E. Church, Jackson, Minn.

AYER'S
THE ONLY WORLD'S FAIR
Sarsaparilla
[illegible] Ayer's Pills

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF KEATING School District for Year 1895-6.

M. C. Stickles, in account with Keating township as School Treasurer, from 1st Monday of June, 1895, to 1st Monday of June, 1896.

	Dr.	
To cash of A. Smith, col.,	$2077 60	
" " by draft from state	1112 [illegible]	
" " of County Treasurer	2155 [illegible]	
" " from insurance,	225 00	
" " sale of supplies	90	6421 25
	Cr.	
By vouchers audited	5267 [illegible]	
" com on $5267.43 @ 3 per cent	151 [illegible]	
" balance due Keating school district	[illegible] 87	6421 25

Statement of the school funds of Keating township for the year ending the first Monday of June, 1896.

	Dr.	
To amt of orders outstanding	$ 26 40	
To balance due school fund	1020 47	1026 87
	Cr.	
By amount of taxes in county treasurer's office	410 00	
By amount of cash in hands M. C. Stickles, school treas.	616 87	1026 87

We, the auditors of Keating Township, having examined the accounts and vouchers of M. C. Stickles, School Treasurer of said township, from 1st Monday of June, 1895, to 1st Monday of June, 1896, in account with school fund, do find them as above stated.

Witness our hands this 3d day of June, 1896.

B. J. STULL, Auditors,
Attest: B. H. FARRELL,
M. N. ALLEN, Clerk. 23-21

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(Get the best, xtra large)	
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LOCAL AND GENERAL

—Be kind enough to send in your subscription.

—F O Richmond will move to Kane next week

—Dr Sales will be at the Grand Central July 3rd.

—The MINER from now until the close of the campaign for 25 cents cash.

—The MINER is under obligations to Mrs. C W Stone for favors rendered.

—The Bucktails will hold their annual reunion at Emporium Sept. 23d and 24th

—Monday Mrs Henry Johnson presented her husband with a bright little girl.

—Last Sunday the home of Martin Miller was brightened by the advent of a brand new boy

—The Swedish Mission at Clermont will give a dance at Anderson's grove this Friday evening

—The new trolley cars commenced running last Monday afternoon on the [illegible] street in Bradford.

—While there is plenty of water in the streams it would be advisable to flush out all the hydrants in town

—Trains will be running on the St Marys and Clermont railroad by July 1 A free excursion will be given July 4

—Carl Oscar Overland of Bradford, and Miss Annie Sweeting of this place were granted a marriage license last Saturday

—Conductor Bogart expressed a young woodchuck to Mayor Fagnan president of the Bradford Woodchuck Club, Wednesday

—Mrs. A K Sickles, who has been under the doctor's care for some time past, is very much improved and able to be about.

—The regulars and reserves played a game of base ball at Hamlin Park Saturday last. The regulars did them by a score of 9 to 6

—John Bostrom cut one of his big toes almost off last week It hung by a little piece of skin. The doctor thinks the toe will heal up.

—Recorder H M. Choate issued a marriage license to G. D Lamb, of Kushequa, and Miss Carrie A. Green, of Kinzua, last Saturday

—Last Monday, at the Grand Central, Squire Knapp joined in holy wedlock Irving L. Holbrook and Grace E. Hampton, both of Buffalo.

—J. H Layton, who recently purchased the store of Mrs. Laird at Larrabee, received his commission as postmaster at that place on Monday.

—Sunday was a bad day for accidents to wheelmen. Leon Grigsby broke the rear forks of his wheel while descending the Red Mill brook road.

—Com. J. V. Brown, of Duke Centre, was elected representative to the national encampment G. A. R. from this station, at Chambersburg recently.

—Gilbert Kerman of Wetmore township and Charlotte Johnson of Ormsby were granted a marriage license by Recorder Choate last Tuesday.

—The State Teachers Association, of Pennsylvania, will hold its forty-first annual conference at Bloomsburg, Pa., from July 11 to 14 inclusive.

—W. E. Prentice has just completed a very handsome Barre granite monument which will be placed in the Catholic cemetery. It is for the Daly lot.

—St. Marys defeated Clermont in a hotly contested game of ball the first of the week by a score of 11 to 17. Quite a delegation from here attended.

—William Hefner, the south side grocer has made some decided improvements for the better in his store. Business seems to be good and on the increase.

—A MINER representative called at the store of Frank Reed, at Clermont Monday and can truthfully say that it is one of the neatest stores he has been in for some time.

—James Dunn, supervisor of Norwich township, is making some decided improvements on the roads in that township. But there is [illegible] that could [illegible]

—The MINER office will furnish you note, letter heads and envelopes neatly printed, cheaper than you can buy the same anywhere without printing.

—The Treasurer's sales were all closed out last Tuesday. This is remarkably quick work considering the hard times and speaks volumes for the management of the office.

—The chim-panzee from Kane, who attended the ball game here Thursday is a disgrace to the tribe. His remarks while in the grand stand were indecent to say the least.

—Claud Gillis and C E McCoy of Kane were here Wednesday on their way to Potter county for a month's outing among the mosquitos, snakes and other varmints that inhabit that county

—Henry Leighton, of Crosby and Miss Minnie Burdick of Colegrove, were married in Olean on Thursday of last week The MINER wishes them all kinds of happiness in their voyage through life.

—J F Rymer of Bradford, of whom mention was made last week of going insane on account of the attempted outrage of his little daughter was taken to the State Hospital at Warren, Wednesday

—Last Sunday 35 of our townspeople went to the home of Ira Lucas, near Burke's corners, and gave him a complete surprise, it being his 53d birthday. Those who were there report a most enjoyable time.

—The W N Y & P R'y will sell excursion tickets from all stations at half fare (with enough added to make the rate end with a 0 or 5) for the 4th of July holiday Tickets will be invalid after July 6th.

—The advertisement of George Howe blacksmith, at East Smethport, will be found in another column. Mr Howe, by strict attention to business, has worked up an excellent trade and it is constantly increasing

—Perry Vandekle who was taken to the Buffalo Hospital by Dr Hamilton some time ago, returned home Wednesday very much improved. Mr Vandekle was taken there to be treated for a gun shot wound.

—The reception tendered to Rev R T Taylor and family last Tuesday evening was a very enjoyable affair A large number were present, and all report a good time. Refreshments were served during the evening

—The B R & P R'y will run an excursion to Buffalo and Niagara Falls next Sunday, June 28. Train leaves Bradford at 5:30 a. m Fare for round trip, $1.50 Tickets good to return on regular trains Monday June 29th.

—The funeral of Mrs. Heath was held last Saturday at the residence, Rev J W Sanborn officiating A large number of friends were in attendance The remains were interred in Rose Hill Cemetery instead of Eldred as at first intended

—After July 1st, the B R & K R R will run three trains daily between this place and Bradford. The fare for the round trip are, Bradford, $1 25 Ormsby, 75c McKeans, 55c Simpson 75c Davis, 75c Aiken, 70c Kinzua Junction, 60c

—A MINER representative had the pleasure of meeting John Behan, the new superintendent of the National Transit Pipe Line Co. at Colegrove. Mr Behan is a genial gentleman and will make a host of friends in his new field of labor

—Charles McKean Dan Bacon, F D Gallup and Billy Black visited the headwaters of Potato creek and North creek last week for a fishing trip. They caught 430 trout and enjoyed all the comforts of such a trip. Dan says the bread lasted well

—The steam shovel, working on the St. Marys & Clermont railroad, uncovered an 18-inch vein of coal last Monday This is good news and we predict that Clermont will soon be one of the busiest towns in this section as there are good chances for it being worked

—It is a pleasure to visit the garden of Comrade Wright. Everything he plants seems to grow rapidly and when it gets above ground Comrade takes special pains to keep the weeds subdued. He has two very fine beds of strawberries. As a gardener Mr Wright is a success.

—Last Monday night the Mt. Jewett Rebekahs, to the number of 20 visited the Rebekah lodge of this place They assisted in the installation of officers and the degree team of that place conferred degrees upon two candidates. Ice cream and cake was partaken of after the ceremonies.

—A meeting of the Agricultural and Breeder's Society was held at the office of the president D C Young last Saturday August 21st was selected as the day for holding the regular meeting of the society It is to be hoped that all who are interested in the questions involved will attend

—George Fredericks was committed to jail on information of W S. Newton, by Squire Moses of Eldred, last Monday, on the charge of rape upon a little girl by the name of Kittie Burrows, aged 12 years, an adopted daughter of Mrs. Henry Clark, who is said to be the mother of Fredericks

—Mrs. Edward Hungerford, is determined that her husband shall have just as good a showing as his brother Will, and last Tuesday morning presented Ed with a bouncing boy It will take some time for Ed to become accustomed to the new state of affairs, so that he will will speak to ordinary people.

—W H Olmsted, of Ridgway, a brother of our esteemed townsman, Chas Olmsted, arrived Monday and has been busy during the week making preparation to open his new variety store Monday next. The MINER is pleased to welcome the gentleman and hopes he may meet with all the success he can desire.

—Charles Lilyendahl, the Mechanic street blacksmith, has been having a new floor laid in his shop. When a MINER representative called there, he was so busy he could hardly spare a minute to the reporter This evidence of prosperity is very gratifying. John Servatius, the carriage maker, seemed to be just as busy.

—Our people were very much interested in an animal that was exhibited here last Monday and placarded as "what is it." Dr. Brown searched his encyclopedia of natural history and found that it was a native of South America, known as the Capybara, or South American water hog. But all the same it was quite a curiosity.

—Last Monday W. W. McQuaid, of Kenton, W. Va., and Miss Margaret Reynolds, of Custer City, were granted a marriage license. The happy couple were married at Bradford last Wednesday. They will take a short trip and return to his home in Kenton. The MINER will be a weekly visitor, and hopes that their journey through life may be a happy one.

—Will Frost fell from his wheel while crossing the iron bridge last Sunday and cut his ear from the top of the lobe to the centre. He, in company with Leon Grigsby were making the turn from Mill street to Mechanic. They were going at a very high rate of speed and Frost in making the curve struck the plank walk on one side of the bridge. This threw him head foremost into the iron frame work of the bridge with the above result. Dr. Clark dressed the injured member.

—The concert, which was given by the members of the Free Christian Church last evening was a success in every particular.

—Thomas Young is to be congratulated on his excellent management of the Novelty Restaurant. Tuesday evening when 35 hungry "Eldridges" swooped down on him after midnight, he successfully filled every order they sent in. Tom and his popular cook, John Gaskin, caught the crowd by their courteous treatment, but Tom has a habit of catching everything that comes along

—Mrs. Josephine Aeschbach, wife of Albert E. Aeschbach, proprietor of the Exchange barber shop, died very suddenly Friday evening at her home on Fulton street. The funeral was held from St. Mary's Catholic church Monday morning and the remains were taken to Smethport for burial.—Olean Ledger Deceased was a daughter of Tim McCarty of Irish Hollow

—The races yesterday at the Bradford driving park were exceptionally fine considering the heavy storm of the day before. The managers had spared no pains to place the track in fine condition. The best of order was maintained and no trouble of any kind occurred, although there were several of the light fingered gentry around, but they were watched so closely that they were unable to get in their work.

—On Monday evening of last week P D Hopkins installed the following officers in Cyrilla Rebekah Lodge, No. 50 I O O F, for the ensuing term Helen S. Morrison, N. G, Ida A Brooks V G, Estella R. Gallup, Sec'y, May E. Chense, Fin. Sec'y, Sarah Rubin, R. S. N G, Martha Beckwith, L. S. N G, Mary Lyman, Warden, Rebecca Stull, Conductor, Cinnie Calkins, Chaplain Jane Young, R. S V G, Kate Lemaster I S V G, Lena Sherburne, I G Emma Hagberg, O G

—A W Newell has discovered an excellent plan for ridding orchards of bugs, flies, moths and the like He has hung to each of his trees a wide mouthed bottle one-third filled with sweetened water to which is added a little vinegar He placed 20 of these bottles in position and within a few days has caught a solid gallon and a half of insects. They can't resist the sweet stuff in the bottles and tumble in by the hundreds. It is a good scheme for general adoption.—Star

—Last Saturday a representative of this paper called at D M. Brasted's popular establishment, and was shown through the different departments evidences of thrift and cleanliness were observed on every hand. All the fruits and vegetables of the season were to be found in his well kept cooler No more desirable place could be found to take your family or a party of friends than to Mr Brasted's to enjoy a dish of his pleasant ice cream soda. Strangers from out of town should not fail to visit this sylvan retreat.

We Win the Odd Game.

Our boys trimmed the Kane ball club at Hamlin Park yesterday afternoon in proper style. Score 14 to 3 Following is the summary

SMETHP'T	Pos	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Keeler	1 b	5	2	2	11	0	0
Fuller	2b	6	3	1	1	1	0
Dodge	p	4	1	2	0	5	0
Young	c	5	1	3	7	2	[illegible]
[illegible]	c f	4	1	2	1	0	0
Maher	s s	6	2	3	0	4	3
Pierce	3b	5	1	2	2	0	1
Young E	rf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Morrison	l f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Totals		46	14	17	27	14	4
KANE	Pos	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Wise	2b	4	0	0	1	4	2
Tracy	3b	3	1	0	1	2	1
Dixon	s s	3	1	0	0	1	0
Long	r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Evans	1b	4	1	1	7	0	0
Hull	cf	4	0	1	1	0	1
Neal	p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Kinnel	c	3	0	0	10	0	0
Goodman	lf	3	0	0	3	0	1
Totals		30	3	2	24	14	[illegible]

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
S'PORT	1	0	1	1	1	6	0	0	4	14	17	[illegible]
KANE	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	[illegible]

Earned runs—Smethport 3, Kane 1
Two base hits—Keeler 2 Fuller 2 Young. Maher 1.
Home run—Evans
Struck out—by Dodge 6, Neal 3
Base on balls—off Dodge 1, Neal [illegible]
Double plays—Fuller to Keeler. Dixon to Wise to Evans.
Stolen bases—Keeler 2, T Young 1, Kane 2, Young
Passed balls—Young 1 Kinnel 1.
Umpire—E. M. Kerns.

P H C Exercises.

The Protected Home Circle held a very enjoyable reception at their lodge room in the Backus building Tuesday evening. Nearly one hundred and fifty invited guests participated in the festivities, 43 of whom were from Eldred A very fine program had been prepared and was rendered in a highly satisfactory manner The singing of the male quartette from Eldred was well received. During the evening P D Stratton, of Sharon Pa., who is Supreme President of the Pennsylvania Circle, delivered an address explaining most clearly the advantages of the order Deputy Supreme President R McAllister and Grand Vice President Sherman of Bradford were in attendance and delivered very interesting and eloquent addresses. Refreshments were served by the Smethport Circle and the verdict of the visitors seemed to be that they were royally entertained. The meeting adjourned about midnight and all went home wishing all kinds of prosperity to the P H C. Among the Bradford guests present were E. H. Sherman, R. McAllister and wife, Mrs. J H Barr, Vernan Drake and Carl Godfrey.

A Progressive Farmer

On Monday a representative visited the farm of G. D Comes, the lumberman and farmer, on the east side of Potato creek, in Keating township, and found a corps of about 20 men—carpenters, stone masons and other workmen—busily engaged in improving the place. Mr Comes has a farm of 160 acres that three years ago was almost entirely unimproved. Now he has 40 acres of grain sowed and nearly half the farm under cultivation. We venture to say that in a few years he will have one of the best farms in the county

We found the carpenters working on a 40x90 addition which will be attached to Mr. Comes' 40x50 new frame barn, and placing a stone wall under the barn already built. The wall for the addition, which is of solid masonry, is completed. The entire ground floor will be used for stabling purposes, and the other parts for storing grain and hay. When completed this will be as good a structure of the kind as there is in this section.

Mr. Comes will also have erected a large dwelling house a short distance north of the barn.

Fitzgerald-Lord.

Wednesday morning Mr. John Fitzgerald, of Mt. Alton, and Miss Minnie Lord, of Sterling Run, were married at the Catholic parsonage. Mr. Phil. Bohen was best man and Miss Mame Carmody acted as bridesmaid. The MINER joins with the wish of a host of friends in this vicinity that their voyage on the sea of life may be a happy one.

Service for the Aged.

There will be a service for the old folks at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. The old-fashioned hymns will be sung and the pastor, Rev. J. W. Sanborn, will preach on "The Glory of Old Age."

You can buy butter at the Creamery for 16 cents per pound in packages or prints for cash. Butter only delivered in the afternoon from one to five o'clock. 18

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL.

Will Herzog visited Olean Monday.

S. E. Bell visited Kane Tuesday night.

Judge Morrison was in Kane on Tuesday.

W. H Morrison visited Bradford Wednesday.

C. H Shoff, of Olean, was here on Monday.

John Forrest visited Corning, N Y, on Monday

C. S King, of Port Allegany, was in town Wednesday

M B. Greer came down from Kane Tuesday morning.

Miss Cora Mason went to Bradford Wednesday night.

T. C Wansman, of Eldred, was in town the first of the week

J W Slater and family moved to Bradford last Tuesday

Miss Twila Cable, of Bradford, visited Smethport Monday

Hugh Boyd, of Clermont, was a guest at the Central Monday

C A Doerner of Coudersport, was here on business Monday

Mrs T A Morrison returned from Brookville last night

Mr and Mrs. Elisha K Kane, of Kane, were in town Tuesday

C F Morrison of Sugar Run, attended the land sales Tuesday

Justine Cable, of Bradford was over on business last Monday

Mr and Mrs M J Gallup, of Mt Jewett, were in town last Sunday

Samuel Rockwell and family have moved to Albion Erie county Pa.

C H Kaufman, of Eldred, was a pleasant caller at this office Monday

William I Foster, of Lewis Run, attended argument court here Tuesday

John Carlson came over from Port Allegany to spend Sunday with his family

Reilly Warner of Emporium, was here Tuesday on his way to attend the races.

F P Dalrymple and S R Bard of Port Allegany were in town on business Monday

Dr Robert Hamilton returned last Monday night from a two weeks visit in Harrisburg

The veteran lumberman, James Doyle of Camp Halsey, was in town the forepart of the week.

Mrs Leon Hogarth and children went to Coudersport last week to visit her many friends there

J M and W H Keeny, of Port Allegany were pleasant callers at the MINER office Tuesday

W S and G R Brownell and Carl Mordoff, of Smethport, were at the Henderson House, Bradford Thursday

J F Keating of Clermont, was in Antrim last week where he purchased a pair of mules to be used in the mines

Miss Flora Baker accompanied Miss Belle Abbey over from Port Allegany last Saturday and spent Sunday in town.

Rev J Heber McCandless arrived home from his vacation last Saturday and reports having had a most enjoyable time

Mrs Mort Shoemaker and children of State Line Mills, returned home last Saturday after a week's visit in this place

W A Wasson of Williamsport, was a guest at the Wright House over Sunday He is engaged in the loan association business

H T Acre who has been clerking at the Pierce House left Monday morning for Gardeau where he will enter the employ of F N Taylor

Supt J E Myers went to Clarion last Saturday to attend the commencement exercises at that popular institution the Clarion normal school

Ralph Gleason left for Jamestown last Monday where he will attend the Photographers Association held there He will be absent four days

Allie Colegrove and Will Holler visited Lookout mountain near Forest House last Sunday This lookout is considered one of the finest in the State

W A [illegible] went to Buffalo where he will join the camel riders of Ishmalia lodge of that city for a trip down the lake to Cleveland and a three days outing

J W Tubbs, one of the prominent farmers of Annin Creek, was a very pleasant caller last Saturday He reports all the crops looking fairly well except hay

J C Gallup, Wm Haskill, Andrew Bush, George King and J C Dennison went to Port Allegany Tuesday to assess damages where gas lines cross certain pieces of land

Mr and Mrs. Richmond returned here last Saturday after an absence of about two years and will make their home among us once more much to the gratification of their many friends

Miss S. A Scull arrived home from Washington last week and has been receiving a regular ovation from her many admirers She will occupy her cottage on Water street during the summer

S I Keenan J F Rooney Warley Gifford and son, Roy, Mrs Frank Richmond Mrs Free Kerns, Will Pickard, M W Heinlein, Miss Bertha Kerns, A B Walker and J S Apple were in Bradford yesterday

Mrs James McGeer and daughter, Edith, and Mrs J A Yerdon and son, Herbie, left to-day morning for Jamestown, where they will visit relatives and friends. The ladies intend to drive the whole distance and thus enjoy the trip

Mrs F C Pierce returned from a three weeks visit with Warren friends last Friday She was met at Kane by Mr Pierce Mr Pierce started back on his wheel 40 minutes before the train left Kane and after taking supper on the road, arrived here in time to meet his wife at the depot

Death of Francis A. Lyte.

F A. Lyte died at his home in Kane Wednesday at 7:20 a. m., of quick consumption, aged 43 years.

Mr Lyte has been prominent in business circles in Kane for the past nine years. He was one of the leading factors in organizing the First National Bank and was selected as cashier, but owing to sickness was unable to attend to duties. Mr Lyte leaves a wife, three children and a large circle of friends throughout the county to mourn his demise.

The funeral services will be held at the residence on Grove street to-day at 1:30 p. m., Rev Jones officiating. The services at the grave will be conducted by Kane Lodge, F & A. M. A delegation from Smethport Lodge will attend the funeral.

Low Excursion Rates.

The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg R'y Co. exercises its customary liberality again this season by making the extremely low rate of a single fare for the round trip between all stations on its line, on account of the Fourth of July excursion travel. Tickets to be sold and good going Friday and Saturday, July 3 and 4, limited for return passage until and including Monday, July 6th, 1896.

Card of Thanks.

EDITOR MINER:—I desire through the columns of your paper to express my heartfelt thanks to the citizens of Smethport for the great kindness shown my wife during her last illness. I can assure one and all that their kind deeds will never be forgotten.

E. E. HEATH.

Smethport, Pa., June 24, 1896.

List of Letters

remaining in the postoffice at Smethport, Pa., for the week ending June 20, 1896:

Brown, Stella Erickson, Carl

Persons calling for these letters please say "advertised."

W. P. WALSH, Postmaster.

We are anxious to do a little good in this world and can think of no pleasanter or better way to do it than by recommending One Minute Cough Cure as a preventative of pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

Persons who have a coughing spell every night, on account of a tickling sensation in the throat, may overcome it at once by a dose of One Minute Cough Cure. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

[illegible] order for a Rambler bicycle was tendered F. C. Pierce, this time for Port Allegany parties.

Small in size, but great in results. DeWitt's Little Early Risers act gently but thoroughly curing indigestion, dyspepsia and constipation. Small pill, safe pill, best pill. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

Fire at Bradford.

Last Friday night Bradford was again visited by a destructive fire which destroyed six business buildings. The fire raged from Chestnut street down Main on the west side as far as Tammaro's fruit store. Many lives were endangered by falling walls, but as far as known no one was seriously injured

The losses as estimated and the insurance is as follows:

Henry Sondheim, $20,000 on building and stock. Insurance $12,000

Barker & Whitehead, loss on buildings at Nos. 64, 66 and 68 Main street, $7000 No insurance

Overland Tea company, loss $4,000. No insurance

J R. Zook & Co, wall paper, etc., loss $3,000 Insurance $1,600.

The following persons were occupants of the Baker and Whitehead building and their losses were as follows

Mrs. J West, loss $1,400, insurance $300 Dr J Henry King, loss $1,600, Mrs. J W Rae, loss $550 Albert Danielson, loss $250. Charles Danielson, loss $500 Mrs Parks, loss $300, fully covered by insurance William Gray, loss $500. Mrs. Hanna Cook, loss $300. James Tluto, loss $200 M Freeman, loss small Miss Kissenger, loss $100. Where no insurance is given, none was carried

W. D Hatch's loss on building and stock was $6,000 Insurance $2,150

Mrs Ida Troutner, who lived upstairs, loss $100 No insurance.

N W McCourt, loss $1,800. Insurance $1,400 McCourt will repair his building

Bay State Hotel, loss, $15,000 Insurance $4,100

J Asselta's loss is about covered with $1,000 insurance.

Tammaro & Co., loss about $500. No insurance.

G W Spangler, damage to stock $100. Fully insured.

The estimated loss is about $75,000 with small insurance in comparison.

Music at St. Luke's Next Sunday.

The music at St. Luke's church next Sunday will be especially interesting. It being the 50th anniversary of the first production of Mendelssohn's "Elijah," and as the choir of the church keep up to the standard of the best music, in common with many churches in the large cities, the works of this great master will be given. "Hear my Prayer" will be given in the morning and the following selections from "Elijah" in the evening

"If with all your hearts" Tenor Solo, Mr Wilson.
"Cast your burdens," Quartette Misses Mason, Grace McCoy Messrs. Dr McCoy, Berryman
"Send help, O Lord" Recitative for Bass and Tenor and Chorus, Mr Berryman, Dr McCoy
"Hear ye Israel," Soprano Solo Miss McCoy
"Be not afraid" Chorus.
"O rest in the Lord" Contralto Solo, Miss Grace McCoy

Children's Day Exercises.

The children's day exercises at the Methodist church were very interesting There were songs and recitation by the children, an anthem by the choir and an exercise prepared by the Book Concern of the church, which when taken into consideration that there was no rehearsal, was well rendered Before the exercises commenced the following children were baptized

Lulu May Bush, Jessie Rellon Bush, Elvira Amelia Bush, Bertha Hazel Bush Ethel Vorhees, Louis Vorhees, Richard Burlingame Georgie Barrett, Walter Varney, Maud Varney, Aletha Armstrong and Ruth Vorhees.

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The following tours have been arranged for the season of 1896

To the north (including Watkins Glen, Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec, Au Sable Chasm, Lake Champlain and George, Saratoga, and a daylight ride down through the Highlands of the Hudson), July 21 and August 18 Rate $100 for the round trip from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, covering all expenses of a two weeks' trip.

To Yellowstone Park, covering a period of seventeen days, on a special train of Pullman sleeping, compartment, and observation cars and dining car, August 27 Rate, $200 from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

Two tours to Gettysburg Luray Caverns, Natural Bridge, Richmond and Washington will be run in the early autumn

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Dental Work.

When in Olean, and in need of dental work, do not fail to call upon Dr. L M Haub at his parlors in the Masonic Temple, No. 311-13 Dr. Haub is well and favorably known to many of the people in this county, having practiced here for the past fifteen years. 22-tf

When we consider that the intestines are about five times as long as the body, we can realize the intense suffering experienced when they become inflamed. DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure subdues inflammation at once and completely removes the difficulty. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickles, East Smethport

STATE LINE MILLS

Mrs. W W. Hicks and son Will, of Williamsport, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H W. Georgia.

Rev. W. R. McNeil, of Emporium, was a very pleasant caller last Tuesday at the residence of H. W. Georgia.

"Wake up, Jacob, day is breaking," so said DeWitt's Little Early Risers to the man who had taken them to arouse his sluggish liver. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

T. H. Purtle offers two new Deering mowing machines for the small sum of $30 00 each for cash. Here is a bargain for anyone in need of such a machine. 3t

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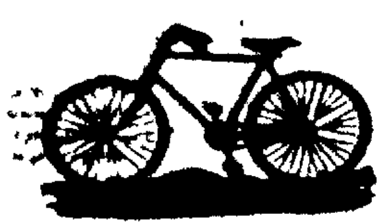

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Some cases of so called heart disease, are only cases of acid fermentation in the stomach. The irritation from the acid hinders the action of the heart, through the pneumogastric nerve, and very often the excessive restraining power of this peculiarly acting nerve, becomes a very serious matter; the heart makes the greatest effort to do its work, but there is a shortness of breath which cannot be made up for, and the feeling throughout the chest is very distressing. Sometimes this acid arises and causes an acrid smarting in the throat, at other times the burning is up and down the chest.

Another stomach trouble is that form of dyspepsia which gives pain after eating. Persons with this disease seem to have but a scant measure of nerve strength, when food is being digested, the stomach needs the concentration of all of the nerve and brain force, and if reading or close thought is attempted soon after eating, the stomach commences that intolerable aching which dyspeptics dread so much, when, the only immediate relief appears to be to stop the mental activity and get up and move around. In such cases there is evidently for the time being, too little nerve power to divide between the stomach and the brain, each one alone needs it all to enable it to perform its labor.

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Mrs. Albert Harman, of 1305 Fifth Ave., Altoona, Pa., writes, Dr Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic has done me a power of good; that burning after meals has left me. I have always been so nervous that I would take nervous spells so bad sometimes that I would have to send for the doctor. I have not had one since I commenced using your stomach and nerve tonic."

H. C. Leatty, Barkeyville, Pa., says: "For years I had a severe pain in my stomach after meals; one bottle of Dr Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic cured me, I think, permanently."

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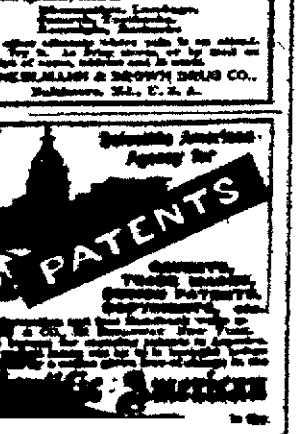

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SARATOGA CONVENTION.

Democrats Dropping In by Small Delegations.

SESSION TO BE A BRIEF ONE.

Senator Hill and Ex Secretary Whitney In Conference at Albany—Whitney Declines to Be a Delegate. Money Plank In Course of Preparation.

SARATOGA, June 22. That the Democratic convention to be held on Thursday is to be a hustling bustling affair is evidenced by the fact that today 48 hours before the event there is hardly a sprinkling of politicians here and the leaders have not been heard from.

There are no definite plans known although it is generally conceded that the platform will be for a gold standard, and the delegates at large David B. Hill, Roswell P. Flower, Edward Murphy and either William C. Whitney, Frederic R. Coudert or Charles S. Fairchild.

It is probable that John Boyd Thacher will be chairman of the convention, which will be called to order at noon on Wednesday by Chairman Hinckley of the state committee. After the organization and appointment of committees there will be a brief adjournment and at an afternoon or evening session the convention will finish its work. The mass of delegates are expected today. Tammany will arrive toward evening.

The feature of the convention promises to be the general harmony that will prevail between the Tammany men and the State Democracy. Only one year ago at Syracuse the representatives of the State Democracy were refused seats in the convention as delegates. This year, however, they have 15 regularly elected delegates and their seats are not contested. The only contests noted are those of the Shepard Democrats from Brooklyn. It is said that they will not be seated and that very little time will be expended in arriving at the decision in the committee on credentials.

Senator Hill, Chairman Hinckley, John Boyd Thacher, William C. Whitney and John B. Stanchfield are expected in Saratoga today.

HILL AND WHITNEY

The Democratic Leaders Hold a Conference at Albany.

ALBANY, June 22. Senator Hill had Chairman Hinckley of the Democratic state committee and William C. Whitney to dinner with him and they remained over night at the mansion.

John Boyd Thacher, who is to be the chairman of the convention, was not present.

When the correspondent saw Senator Hill he said: "I have nothing to give out for publication. We have had a little informal talk, but have decided upon nothing. We would like Mr Whitney to go as a delegate at large to the Chicago convention but the vacancy for which we would name him still exists."

Senator Hill then called Chairman Hinckley and he said: "No, we have not selected the fourth delegate to accompany Senators Hill, Murphy and Mr Flower. We want Mr Whitney and he is my own personal choice."

Mr Whitney consented to be interviewed as to the question and said: "I shall go to Chicago and expect to be at the Auditorium shortly after July 1. I expect, however, that I will not go either as a delegate at large or as a district delegate but simply as a plain citizen. Yes, we have talked over the financial plank but we have not yet prepared a draft for it. I do not anticipate any very great opposition from silver people in the state convention."

Senator Hill declined to make public the plank on finance. He said: "I cannot give it out, because the phraseology is not complete. It will not be ready for publication until the committee on resolutions considers it."

The names of William R. Grace and Francis Scott are mentioned for the fourth delegate at large.

Wilson S. Bissell of Buffalo is also mentioned, but is not believed to have a very extensive backing.

Queer Situation In Illinois.

PEORIA, June 22.—Never before in the history of Illinois politics has there been a convention as unique as that convened today promises to be. It was called to order without a single candidate for nomination for governor. Of course everybody says that Governor Altgeld will be nominated.

According to W. H. Hinrichsen, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, 90 per cent of the delegates to the convention have been instructed for him and the others are solid for him.

On the other hand Governor Altgeld says he is not a candidate. Several months ago he even went so far as to say that he would not accept the nomination. But the Democratic leaders declare they will force him to accept.

Every delegate who has arrived in the city and there are hundreds of them here has called upon the governor.

And every one of them told him he was their choice and that no one else would do.

In the conversations Governor Altgeld has had with the delegates who have consulted him, he has had but little to say regarding the national convention to be held in Chicago week after next.

"It is a duty the free silver Democrats owe to the so-called common people of this nation," he said, "to carry their point as to the national plank. Whitney and the loud mouthed gold bugs of his class never led the party to anything but humiliation or defeat during the last 30 years."

Then referring to Mr Whitney's statement that he believed the gold men would control, the governor said to a number of delegates: "If the gold men control they will do so by the use of arguments that have a ring in them and a clink as they pass from hand to hand and pocket."

State Chairman Hinrichsen in speaking of the talk that Senator Teller might be named at Chicago said that while the free silver Democrats all had the highest regard for him not one of the hundreds to whom he had talked felt that it would be wise to nominate him for president.

Ohio Will Declare For Silver.

COLUMBUS, June 22.—Delegates to the Democratic state convention are coming in slowly and the indications are that there will be few visitors. The convention does not meet until tomorrow, all the preliminary work being done by the district delegates and committee meetings this evening.

Dan McInville, formerly sixth auditor of the treasury and Allen W. Thurman are the leaders of the free silverites, who will have a big majority in the convention. They claim there are 530 delegates pledged to vote for a free silver plank in the platform and 52 pledged to the gold standard, while 65 are doubtful. The gold standard men only claim 100 to 125 delegates. The majority of the free silver men is so great that the convention will probably add the unit rule.

The delegates at large to the national convention at Chicago will all be pronounced free silver men. It is conceded that John R. McLean of Cincinnati, Allen W. Thurman of Columbus and J. W. Bookwalter of Springfield will be three of the delegates at large.

The contest for fourth place is said to lay between L. E. Holden of Cleveland, E. B. Finley of Bucyrus and Judge J. D. Blandin of Cleveland.

There is a scarcity of candidates for places on the state ticket, and it is probable there will be some new names on it.

A. A. Brown, an attorney of Cincinnati, seems to be the choice of the free silver men for secretary of state.

Separate Conventions In Texas.

AUSTIN, June 22.—Quite a large number of delegates came in to attend the conventions today, held respectively by the gold and silver Democrats as the representatives of the two wings of the party on the great financial question. The conventions will be held separately. The silver men are under the leadership of ex-Governor Hogg, Governor Culberson and ex-United States Senator John H. Reagan and Senator Horace Chilton, who will be the first in order on the Chicago delegation.

Congressman Bailey is also allied with this faction and will go as a delegate. As to the matter of instructions, an effort is being made by some to have an uninstructed delegation, in the hope that Teller will be in a position by that time in other quarters [illegible] gold men, [illegible] machinery behind them [illegible] of success at Chicago and [illegible] will send their delegation [illegible] headed by George Clark [illegible] two gold standard men [illegible] politicians.

Silverites Control Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 22.—Democrats of Indiana are gathering in great numbers for the state convention, which will be held tomorrow. It is probable that two days will be devoted to the convention. Free silver will carry, and the platform will be very strong, favoring free and unlimited, immediate and independent coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. The free silver delegates will include 1,500 of the 1,747 delegates, the majority of the gold standard element coming from Indianapolis. The prospects are that B. F. Shively of South Bend will be nominated for governor.

Demonstration In Hobart's Honor.

PATERSON, N. J., June 22.—This city turned out in a body to do honor to Garret A. Hobart, the Republican nominee for vice president. Never in its history has such a demonstration been held. The entire city was a mass of bunting and flags, red fire and fireworks were burned throughout the night and the people cheered as they never had occasion to cheer before. One of the features of the demonstration was a parade in which 10,000 men were in line including societies of every order—labor, military, political, secret fraternities and wheelmen.

Russell Not a Candidate.

BOSTON, June 22.—Ex-Governor William E. Russell has issued a statement on his position relative to the Democratic presidential nomination. In it he positively states that his name will not be presented to the Chicago convention; that he will go to Chicago not as a delegate, but as a citizen interested in the declaration of his party for a gold standard, and furthermore he will urge all his friends and supporters to do their utmost to secure the selection of William C. Whitney as the presidential nominee.

Wisconsin Strongly For Gold.

MILWAUKEE, June 22.—The chances are today that the Democratic state convention will adopt a gold platform by a majority of two to 1, although there are many delegates who want a silver plank. Few of the delegates are yet here. General Edward S. Bragg and Senator Vilas will be two of the delegates at large. Some of the delegates will doubtless be for silver, but under the unit rule they will probably be smothered.

Democrats at Mount Vernon.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., June 22. The Democrats of the First assembly district of Westchester county, comprising the cities of Yonkers and Mount Vernon and the town of Eastchester, held a convention here. The following delegates were elected: J. Broderick and Edward J. Mitchell of Yonkers, Clarence S. McClellan of Mount Vernon.

Chautauqua County Delegates.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., June 22.—Delegates to Saratoga were elected by the Democrats of the second assembly district of Chautauqua county. They were O. L. Swift, T. P. Heffernan and A. H. Blood. The delegation goes uninstructed, but the delegates themselves state that they are for gold.

Genesee County Democrats.

BATAVIA, N. Y., June 22. The Democrats of Genesee county in convention here elected Earl A. Dodgson of Batavia, A. B. Rathbone of Oakfield and W. G. Elyea of LeRoy delegates to the Saratoga convention. No resolutions were adopted.

Special Meeting of Republicans.

NEW YORK, June 22. Chairman Hackett of the Republican state committee has telegraphed to Secretary Kenyon at Syracuse directing him to issue a call for a special meeting of the committee on July 7 in this city.

Murderer Cottell on Trial.

AKRON, O., June 22. The trial of Romulus Cottell, the young farm hand who murdered Mr and Mrs Alvin Stone and Ira Stillson at Tallmadge early in the spring, began here.

English Yacht Races.

LIVERPOOL, June 22. In the race for the large yachts Ailsa was the winner, Britannia coming in second, with Satanita a long way astern.

President Ballantine Resigns.

OBERLIN, O., June 22.—President W. G. Ballantine of Oberlin college has resigned and his resignation was accepted by the faculty.

GENERAL WILSON KILLED

Fell In Battle While Fighting For the Cause of Cuba.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, June 22. Advices brought here by messengers from the island of Cuba report the death of General W. W. Wilson, leader of an American expedition which landed in Cuba on Dec. 8 in order to assist the insurgents. General Wilson is said to have been killed in battle near Guantanamo.

General Wilson with about 18 men, four of whom were graduates of West Point, landed in Cuba early in December last with 200 rifles, 50,000 rounds of ammunition, a supply of dynamite, etc. The expedition was fitted out at New York by Americans who are interested in Cuba. General Wilson had seen service in Central and South America and was with General Garza on the Mexican border some years ago.

Proceedings of the A. O. U. W.

BUFFALO, June 22. At the session of the A. O. U. W. convention reports from the committees on laws and appeals were considered. An amendment to the supreme lodge constitution was passed providing for the right of transfer of a member of one grand jurisdiction to another even though he has passed the age of 45. There is a keen fight going on between Nashville, Indianapolis, Denver, Cleveland and Detroit for the next meeting of the supreme lodge.

Sir Augustus Harris Dead.

LONDON, June 22.—Sir Augustus Harris, the noted theatrical manager, has died. He was born in 1852 and has been the lessee of Drury Lane theatre since 1879, where he has produced a number of successful pantomimes and several dramas. He revived grand opera at Drury Lane in 1887 and at the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden, in 1888. He was knighted in 1891 after the visit of Emperor William of Germany to London.

Adopted a Bimetallic Resolution.

LONDON, June 22.—A dispatch from Paris says that an international commission of husbandry, including delegates from France, Germany, Belgium, Austria, Sweden and Switzerland, met at the ministry of husbandry and adopted a bimetallic resolution. The resolution called upon the French government to propose the subject to the other countries in the international convention.

Hard Fight With Savages.

BULUWAYO, June 22.—A patrol of 23 mounted men bringing in women and children in an armored mule wagon had a desperate fight with the rebellious natives near Salisbury. Seven of the patrol were killed and four were wounded, while 14 of the horses and all of the mules were killed. The natives about Fort Charter are now rising.

New Company Incorporated.

ALBANY, June 22.—The Investors Chartered company, capitalized at $5,000,000, was incorporated here. The company will be located in New York city and will deal in stocks, bonds and other negotiable securities.

Banker Cantoni Dead.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Salvatore Cantoni, the wellknown New York banker, died suddenly at Bay Shore, L. I., his summer home, having been stricken with apoplexy.

Joe Burke Defeats Leonard.

NEW YORK, June 22.—At the South Brooklyn Athletic club bouts Mike Leonard was defeated in eight rounds by Joe Burke of Brooklyn.

E. H. Jenkins of the Connecticut station says:

If the soil is rich in readily available nitrogen, the probability is that a crop of beans and peas would gather but little of that element from the air, but would use what was already at hand in the soil. If the soil is very poor in nitrogen, it may be expected that these plants will gather their supply largely from other sources than the combined nitrogen of the soil. In general it would appear to be rational to apply no nitrogenous fertilizers to these crops, but to apply an abundance of both potash and phosphoric acid.

SEVEN BLOWN TO PIECES

Terrific Explosion of a Tram Engine Boiler.

THREE OTHERS BADLY INJURED.

Six of the Victims Had Their Heads Blown From the Bodies and Otherwise Mutilated—Accident Occurred at Doucette, Texas.

WOODVILLE, Tex., June 22.—At Doucette, three miles north of Woodville, the tram engine boiler of the Nebraska Lumber company exploded, killing seven men outright and seriously if not fatally injuring three others.

It seems that the engineer was just ready to start for the log camp when the explosion took place, some six or eight men being in the cab. Six of these seven victims had their heads entirely torn from their bodies and otherwise mutilated beyond recognition.

List of killed and wounded is as follows:

A. L. DOUCETTE, president of the Nebraska Lumber company.
GRANT HAMMERLY, engineer.
CHARLES WALWORTH, foreman.
CHARLES SMITH, section hand.
WYLIE SARGENT, mill hand.
A man known about the mill as Frenchy but whose right name is not known.
Another unknown man.

The wounded are:

Dan A. Harlan, arms terribly lacerated and painfully scalded about the face and neck.
D. O. Sullivan, section hand, badly scalded.
—— Dowling, scalded about the face and neck.

The reports of just how the terrible accident happened are somewhat conflicting. One report is that the engine had just left Doucette and had jumped the track. The men crowded around to get the engine back when the explosion occurred.

Another report says the men were in the cab when the accident occurred. The engine is what is known as a shay, with the machinery on one side and the drivers propelled by cog wheels.

The water which supplied the engine had been low and muddy and the sediment is supposed to have caked in the bottom of the boiler until it became dangerous. Another reason given is that the engineer let his water get low with a hot fire and turned on the injector.

An eyewitness says he heard the noise and squatted between the ties and looked. Iron flew through the air like shot and carried everything in its path. The men who met death never knew what killed them. A sharp report, a rain like patter of iron and it was all over. Six of the dead were buried near the scene of their death and the remains of Mr Doucette were sent here and forwarded to Orange.

USES OF COLLEGE TRAINING

Not to Make Experts, but to Fit Men For Large Intelligent Work.

It is not entirely safe to claim that every kind of success, even of legitimate success, will be promoted by a college training, writes Rev Charles H. Parkhurst, D. D., in The Ladies' Home Journal. If I had a boy for whom it was my supreme ambition that he should become rich I should not send him to college. So far from helping his prospects in that direction it would probably damage them. Money making is a trick. The easy acquisition of it is a knack. It involves the concentration of interest and faculty along a particular line, and that a narrow line. There is nothing to hinder a very small man from being a very wealthy one. Shrewdness doesn't imply a big mind. I might say with a good deal of assurance that it implies the contrary. And shrewdness has more than anything else to do with the acquisition of gain.

There are a great many things that can be best done by the man who does not know too much, or, at least, by the man whose intelligence is concentrated at a single point or along a single line. The mechanic who has come to be known among us as the wizard would perhaps have been more of a man if he had gone to Harvard, but it would probably have spoiled him as a wizard. Genius is presumably always a species of mania, and [illegible] the asylum. They had better be kept away from college, if the [illegible] make them experts. College will do all to give them a character of all roundness, but a knife cannot be round and sharp at the same time, neither can a boy.

If we are going to do large, intelligent work the prime condition is the possession of an intellect trained and stocked in the same general and comprehensive way. College training is simply the process of intellectually getting ready, not getting ready for this, that or the other specific mental service, but simply getting ready — planting down a broad foundation of preliminary big enough to support any breadth or height of superstructure that there may be need or opportunity to put upon it. The college course and the requisite preparatory training cost about seven years of the best and most possible period of a man's life. But if a young man hopes to do a large, solid work in the world, a work in which intelligence of a broad kind is to play any considerable part, and there is no antecedent obstacle in the way, he makes an irreversible mistake if he considers seven years too much to pay for a liberal education."

THE BLUEFISH BRIGADE

What Happens When the Blues Make a Charge Upon the Menhaden.

When menhaden or herring are driven upon the beach by bluefish, as they often are, so that they can be carried off by the cartload," said a fisherman, "there is very seldom found among them one of their pursuers, and if one is found it is likely to be a fish that is diseased or that has been hurt in some way. The bluefish follows to the very verge of the water, but there it stops, and it is so powerful and alert a swimmer that, close as it is, it still easily keeps clear of the land. The menhaden or herring are no mean swimmers. They could come as close and keep off the shore as easily as the bluefish do, but not when the bluefish are after them. Then they are like men pursued to the edge of a precipice. It is almost certain death to jump, but they must do that or turn and take the chances of breaking through the pursuing line.

"When the bluefish—there may be 3,000 or 4,000 of them together—sight a school of menhaden, they go for it like a brigade of heavy cavalry, cutting and slashing, snapping and biting, right and left. The menhaden are simply overborne by superior weight, and there is nothing for them to do but flee. If they are driven toward the shore, the land is to them what the precipice would be to the man. They must take it or they must turn and try to fight their way through. Many do turn and try to swim under or over or around the savage bluefish, and some escape in this way, and some are snapped up, and some are maimed and then cast ashore, and many of them, crowding together, are so closely pressed that they are practically forced ashore.

"Sometimes fish that are not cast up very far flop down into the water again. A high wave may set some free. A fish thus liberated may find its fins so damaged that it can't swim, and it is cast up again. Weakened by its rough experience, it may fall a prey to some of the bluefish yet lingering off shore. It may escape."—New York Sun.

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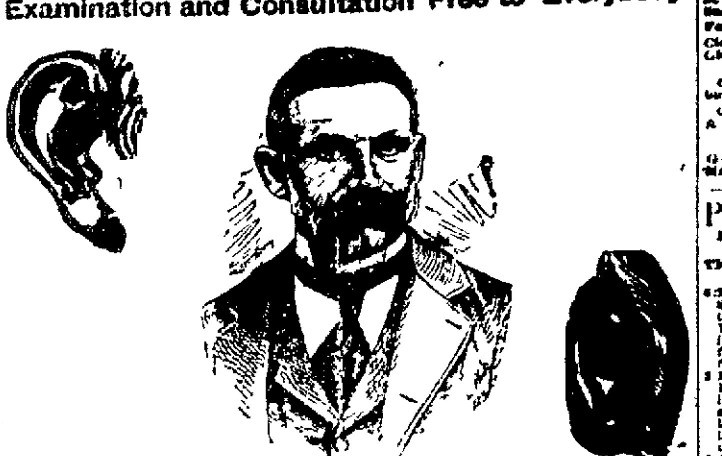

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Yours gratefully,
Westfield, Pa. Elias Herfosa.

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I have been treated by Dr Pierce of Buffalo and by many doctors in this neighborhood, but none of them have given me as much relief as Dr Salm has done in only one month's treatment.
C. S. Vaughn.
Eldred, Pa.

Another One.

Since under Dr Salm's treatment have improved to such a degree that I can honestly say that I am now feeling better in every way than for two years past.
Grant Conder.
Eldred, Pa.

Inward Trouble Cured by Dr Salm.

I have suffered with inward and general trouble all of life, but I am happy to state that Dr Salm has cured me.
Jennie Densmire.
Manerville, Pa.

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For nearly five years I have had a bad case of lung trouble and catarrh. I was treated by three of our best physicians but gradually grew worse and worse until I was advised to try Dr Salm by one of of his patients of whom he has cured of a similar trouble. I despaired of ever getting well I felt so badly. To-day I am thankful that I put myself under the Dr's treatment, for I can enjoy life again with pleasure and am glad that I cured.
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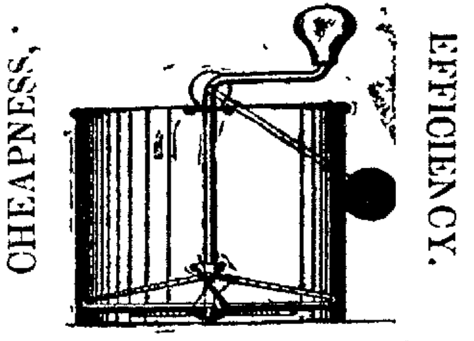

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Buffalo Express, daily except Sunday 9 11 a.m.
Buffalo Mail, daily except Sunday 5 20 p.m.

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For Clermont, Johnsonburg and points south,
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Clermont Acc'tion daily ex Sunday 12 [illegible] a.m.
LOCAL daily, except Sunday 7 20 p.m.

Clermont Mail connects through to Johnsonburg.

Get Time Tables giving full information from A. E. Wormer, Ticket Agent,
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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect June 4 1896.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD

6 20 a. m.—Train 4, daily except Sunday, for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 2 p. m., New York 5 23 p. m., Baltimore [illegible] p. m., Washington 7 15 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia.

3 15 p. m.—Train 6, daily except Sunday for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 4 30 a. m., New York 7 33 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 30 a. m.

8 00 p. m.—Train 4, daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 6 52 a. m., New York 9 33 a. m., week days (10 38 a. m. Sundays); Baltimore 6 20 a. m., Washington 7 40 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie and Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia, and Williamsport to Baltimore. Passengers in sleeper for Baltimore and Washington will be transferred into Washington sleeper at Harrisburg.

WESTWARD

7 44 a. m.—Train 1, daily except Sunday for Ridgway, DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations, leaves Ridgway 3 15 p. m. for Erie.

10 10 a. m.—Train 3, daily for Erie and intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m.—Train 11 daily except Sunday Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 1 leaves Renovo 6 20 a. m. daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Jc 7 35 a. m.

Train 11 leaves Philadelphia 8 31 a. m., Washington 7 50 a. m., Baltimore 8 50 a.m., Wilkesbarre 10 15 a. m., daily except Sunday arriving at Emporium Junction 4 25 p. m. with Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Kane.

Train 3, leaves New York 8 30 p. m., Philadelphia 11 20 p. m., Washington 10 40 p.m., Baltimore 11 50 p. m., daily arriving at Emporium Junc. 10 25 a.m., with Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

JOHNSONBURG RAILROAD

Daily except Sunday

NORTH a. m. Lv	STATIONS.	SOUTH Ar a. m.
9 20	Ridgway	[illegible]
9 31	Johnsonburg	[illegible]
9 49	Bendigo	[illegible]
9 55	Glen Hazel	[illegible]
10 06	Straight	[illegible]
10 11	Instanter	[illegible]
10 14	Smith's Run	[illegible]
10 27	Woodvale	[illegible]
10 35	Clermont	[illegible]

Connections are made with train 1 leaving Johnsonburg at 5 33 p. m. for Erie and intermediate points, arriving at Erie at 8 30 p.m., also at Ridgway with train 6, leaving Ridgway at 1 10 p. m. for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington.

S. M. Prevost, General Manager. J. R. Wood, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway

THE SHORT LINE

On and after Nov 10, 1895, passenger trains between Buffalo, Rochester, Salamanca, Bradford, Ridgway, DuBois, Punxsutawney and the Coal and Lumber Regions of Pennsylvania, will leave Bradford and Mt. Jewett daily except Sunday as follows:

LEAVE BRADFORD—EAST BOUND.

7 45 a. m.—Buffalo & Rochester Express—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy and Rochester.

2 00 p. m.—Mail—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy, and Rochester.

5 16 p. m.—Buffalo Express—Daily. For Limestone, Carrollton, Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden and Buffalo.

LEAVE MT. JEWETT—SOUTH-BOUND

8 07 a. m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

1 [illegible] p. m.—Mail—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

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Passengers are requested to purchase tickets before entering the cars. An excess charge of TEN CENTS will be collected by Conductors when fares are paid on trains, from all stations where a Ticket Office is maintained.

For time tables and full information call on or address any of the Company's agents, or

L. R. McIntyre, Agent, Bradford, Pa.
Edward C. Lapey, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Rochester N. Y.

BUFFALO & SUSQUEHANNA R. R.

TIME TABLE.
Took effect Monday, July 6th 1896.

1 a.m.	3 p.m.	5 p.m.	STATIONS. Ar Dp	2 a.m.	4 p.m.	6 p.m.
[illegible]	2 20	2 30	Keating	9 15	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	2 42	7 16	Cowley Junc.	9 35	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	1 45	6 35	Austin	10 30	3 15	[illegible]
	12 52	6 42	Costello	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	12 41	6 20	Wharton	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	12 30	6 10	Logue	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	12 16	[illegible]	Hull	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	11 48	5 33	Cross Fork Jc	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	10 52	4 48	Germania	1 10	[illegible]	
	10 40	4 35	Galeton	1 43	[illegible]	
	10 25	4 20	Gaines	2 16	[illegible]	
	9 30	[illegible]	Ansonia			
	a. m.	p. m.	Dp. Ar	p. m.		
	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cross Fork Jc	[illegible]		
	7 40	[illegible]	Cr F'k Jc dp	[illegible]		
	6 30	3 00	dp Cross F'k ar	1 15	1 15	

H. Fitzsimmons, Train Master. C. W. Goodyear, Gen'l Manager.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY Railroad Time Table, takes effect Monday Nov 6 1896

A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	STATIONS.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 50	7 30	2 10	Ulysses	7 41	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 38	7 21	2 00	Crowell's	7 51	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 25	7 16	1 53	Perkins	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 20	7 13	1 50	Newf'ld Junc't	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	7 06	1 42	Gold	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 35	7 01	1 36	Raymond's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 15	6 55	1 30	Seven Bridges	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 10	6 46	1 20	Colesburg	[illegible]	3 15	[illegible]
7 00	6 40	1 14	Frink's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6 45	6 30	1 00		8 45	3 40	11 30
[illegible]	[illegible]	12 55	Coudersport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		12 51	Hammond			[illegible]
[illegible]			Fish Basket			[illegible]
[illegible]	7 06	12 36	Olmsted	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	7 [illegible]	12 41	Mina	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		12 34	Knowlton	[illegible]		
[illegible]	7 30	12 [illegible]	Roulette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	7 [illegible]	12 [illegible]	Burtville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		12 17	Coleman	[illegible]		
[illegible]	7 00	12 [illegible]	Port Allegany	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	Dep't. Arrive	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.

PINE CREEK DIVISION

4 00 p. m.	Coudersport	p. m. 4 [illegible]
	Fair Grounds	
4 [illegible]	Ladona	4 [illegible]
4 [illegible]	Sweden Valley	4 [illegible]

Trains run on eastern standard time.
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Direct lines between Bradford, Kane and the Elk county oil field.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT DEC. 16, 1895.

WESTWARD. p.m.	a.m.	STATIONS.	EASTWARD a.m.	p.m.
7 40	9 30	Bradford	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 34	9 [illegible]	Tarport Hill	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 00	9 [illegible]	Kinzua Junct'n	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	McCalmont	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	New City	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Rixford	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Allen	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Davis	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Crosby	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Smethport	[illegible]	[illegible]
		(P. & W. R'y)		
[illegible]	[illegible]	Crosby Junct'n	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Mt. Jewett	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Kane	[illegible]	[illegible]

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